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Filed herewith are two Japanese Office Actions and prior art documents which are pertinent and applicable to the above-identified patent in that they were cited by the Japanese Patent Office in connection with a corresponding Japanese application.

It is requested that the two Japanese Office Actions and references be entered in the patent file.

List of Japanese Office Actions and References to Be Placed in File:

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Respectfully submitted,

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